

# **SC Annual School Report Card Summary**

**BURTON PACK ELEMENTARY** 

Richland 1

Grades: PK-5 **Enrollment: 446** 

Principal: Dr. Denise Collier

Superintendent: Dr. Percy A. Mack

**Board Chair: Vince Ford** 

### **PERFORMANCE**

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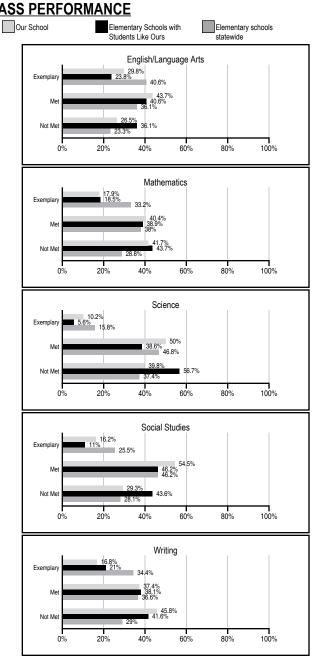
YEAR	ABSOLUTE RATING	GROWTH RATING	PALMETTO GOLD A	ND SILVER AWARD	AYP STATUS	NCLB IMPROVEMENT STATUS
			General Performance	Closing the Gap		
2010	Average	Excellent	TBD	TBD	Met	N/A
2009	Average	Good	Silver	Silver	Met	CSI-DELAY
2008	Below Average	Average	N/A	N/A	Not Met	CSI

# **ABSOLUTE RATINGS OF ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS WITH STUDENTS LIKE OURS\***

EXCELLENT	GOOD	AVERAGE	BELOW AVERAGE	AT-RISK
0	2	58	47	21

<sup>\*</sup> Ratings are calculated with data available by 03/09/2011. Schools with Students Like Ours are Elementary Schools with Poverty Indices of no more than 5% above or below the index for this school.

### PASS PERFORMANCE



### **NAEP PERFORMANCE\***

\* Performance reported for SC and nation, data not available at school level. Percentages at NAEP Achievement Levels.

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South Carolina	38		34	2:	2	6
Nation	34		34	2	24	7
% Below Basic						
MATH – GRADE 4 (2009)						
South Carolina	22		14		29	5
Nation	19	4	13		33	
% Below Basic						
SCIENCE - GRADE 4 (2005)						
SCIENCE – GRA			39		23	2
SCIENCE - GRA South Carolina	36					
	36		39		25	2

### **SC PERFORMANCE GOAL**

By 2010, SC's student achievement will be ranked in the top half of the states nationally. To achieve this goal, we must become one of the fastest improving systems in the country.

### 2020 Vision:

By 2020 all students will graduate with the knowledge and skills necessary to compete successfully in the global economy, participate in a democratic society and contribute positively as members of families and communities.

## BURTON PACK ELEMENTARY [Richland 1]

### SCHOOL PROFILE

	Our School	Change from Last Year	Elementary Schools with Students Like Ours	Median Elementary School
Students (n=446)				
Retention rate	3.6%	Down from 4.6%	1.5%	1.2%
Attendance rate	95.9%	Down from 96.3%	95.9%	96.1%
Eligible for gifted and talented	1.7%	Up from 0.5%	4.1%	11.7%
With disabilities other than speech	7.3%	Up from 4.2%	8.5%	8.0%
Older than usual for grade	1.3%	No Change	0.8%	0.4%
Out-of-school suspensions or expulsions for violent and/or criminal offenses	0.0%	No Change	0.0%	0.0%
Teachers (n=38)				
Teachers with advanced degrees	68.4%	Up from 56.8%	59.3%	60.5%
Continuing contract teachers	76.3%	Up from 54.5%	78.3%	84.6%
Teachers with emergency or provisional certificates	0.0%	Down from 2.6%	0.0%	0.0%
Teachers returning from previous year	85.5%	Up from 79.1%	82.2%	87.0%
Teacher attendance rate	96.3%	Up from 96.0%	95.2%	95.4%
Average teacher salary*	\$47,804	Up 5.3%	\$45,085	\$47,288
Classes not taught by highly qualified teachers	0.0%	No Change	0.0%	0.0%
Professional development days/teacher	9.4 days	Down from 9.5 days	10.5 days	10.5 days
School				
Principal's years at school	8.0	Up from 7.0	3.0	4.0
Student-teacher ratio in core subjects	15.8 to 1	Down from 16.0 to 1	17.0 to 1	19.2 to 1
Prime instructional time	89.0%	Down from 90.6%	90.4%	90.8%
Opportunities in the arts	Good	No Change	Good	Good
SACS accreditation	Yes	No Change	Yes	Yes
Parents attending conferences	100.0%	Up from 99.9%	100.0%	100.0%
Character development program	Excellent	No Change	Excellent	Excellent
Dollars spent per pupil**	\$10,123	Up 6.7%	\$8,940	\$7,548
Percent of expenditures for instruction**	82.1%	Down from 82.2%	67.8%	68.7%
Percent of expenditures for teacher salaries**	76.0%	Down from 77.0%	62.1%	65.1%
% of AYP objectives met	100.0%	No Change	100.0%	100.0%

<sup>\*</sup> Length of contract = 185+ days.

### **EVALUATION RESULTS**

	Teachers	Students*	Parents*
Number of surveys returned	42	50	31
Percent satisfied with learning environment	81.0%	82.0%	92.9%
Percent satisfied with social and physical environment	76.2%	95.9%	90.3%
Percent satisfied with school-home relations	59.5%	86.0%	90.3%

<sup>\*</sup>Only students at the highest elementary school grade level at this school and their parents were included.

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### REPORT OF PRINCIPAL AND SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT COUNCIL

The mission statement of Burton-Pack Elementary School is to ensure that each student is successful in his or her academic, social, and personal growth by creating an educational environment characterized by student discovery and exploration; respect for individual and cultural differences; an atmosphere in which students can develop self-worth; and parent/community involvement and

To accomplish this goal, the continuous achievement of the Burton-Pack students is the focus of all staff members. There is on-going assessment of the mastery of the state standards through PASS-like guizzes, district benchmarks, and weekly standards-based evaluations. There is also extensive team-teaching with literacy coaches, data analysis, and professional learning communities' meetings. Special celebrations and recognitions occur as our students demonstrate proficiency.

Burton-Pack Elementary School has made significant progress over the past few years. There is continual emphasis on standards-based instruction and academic rigor. There is also substantial support that is provided each day.

Initiatives of Burton-Pack, included the After-School Tutorial Program, daily small-group instruction, Accelerated Reader, SuccessMaker, and the three-week Saturday and Writing Academy programs. The Comprehensive Remediation Program served approximately 100 students in grades 3-5 on an on-going basis. The program provided tutoring in math, reading, science, and social studies in a structured and supervised environment. The Saturday and Writing Academies provided intensive instruction to 80 students in grades 3-5 for a six week period. The focus for the Saturday interventions was writing, reading, and mathematics. Evaluations received from students and staff members reported that the program was highly effective. Parent input yielded the same positive responses.

Small-group instruction occurred with teachers providing remediation to students each day. A successful initiative was the Math Instructional Focus. On each half-day Wednesday morning, all staff engaged in team teaching. Rigorous and challenging math activities were done with all students. A school-wide writing prompt was also done on half-days.

In addition to the academic improvements, there have been positive outcomes with the following: student attendance increased to 96.3%; percentage of teachers returning from the previous year increased to 79.1%, and we continued to have an excellent rating for character education programs.

Gains in student achievement are expected to continue as a result of the school initiatives, district programs, and our desire to have 80% of our students meet or exceed the state standards in 2009. This is evident, for we received the following: AYP status, Palmetto Silver, and Red Carpet. We are finishing strong at Burton-Pack Elementary!

Mrs. Rhonda Favor-Simpson, SIC Chairperson

Dr. Denise Collier, Principal

<sup>\*\*</sup> Prior year audited financial data available